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There has been much speculation as to when Congressman-elect Jas. Norton would resign his position as Comptroller General and who would succeed him. Mr. Norton has recently said that he will not tender his resignation until he holds a commission as Congressman. The State board of canvassers meets today, but has fifteen days in which to issue the certificate of election, so we will probably not know who will be our next Comptroller General for some time. It seems pretty certain that Auditor Epton, of Spartanburg, will be named by Gov. Ellerbe to succeed Mr. Norton.

We have received the prospectus of the Southern Farmer and Horticulturist, a paper which Mr. E. H. Aull proposes to establish in Newberry, the first issue of which is to appear Nov. 15th. As its name implies, the paper will be purely an agricultural journal. Prof. J. S. Newman, of Clemson college, will be editor of the new paper and Mr. Aull will have the business management. The very fact that Mr. Aull is at the head of the venture is sufficient warranty for its success, and the Record will cheerfully welcome the coming of the Southern Farmer and Horticulturist.

Leutgert, the now famous sausage maker, who for several weeks has been on trial for his life, being charged with murdering his wife and dissolving her body with chemicals in one of his sausage vats, was not convicted, the jury standing 8 to 4 for conviction. Since the trial Leutgert has been offered a position in a dime museum at a salary of \$500 a week. In commenting upon the offer the Columbia Register said: It may be an unpleasant and tedious thing to be tried for murder now and then, but in the end it seems to have its compensations.

Judge Witherspoon will preside at the November term of court which convenes here next Monday. Judge Witherspoon's term of office expires pretty soon and the legislature at its meeting in January will elect his successor. As he has expressed a refusal to serve on the bench any longer this will be his last visit to this place in his present official capacity. Judge Witherspoon has served quite a number of years as circuit judge, and has been here several times. He has numberless friends in this county and they will all regret to know that his visit here next week will probably be his last one.

The Columbia Record says: "There is interesting war relic at Bloomfield, Ky., in the personality of Basil Hayden, who has not been outside his house for the last 34 years, although he is in perfect health. Mr. Hayden was a large slave owner in 1863, and when his slaves were taken from him he maintained that the Almighty has treated him harshly in allowing his slaves to go free. And, by way of retaliation, he swore that he would 'never set a foot on God's earth again.'"

Aaron Smith, editor of the Mount Pleasant (Tex.) Times Review, was born without arms twenty-nine years ago. In spite of this serious handicap he became a lawyer a few years ago, and met with great success. Four years ago he purchased the Times Review. "Under his editorial management," says a correspondent of the Boston Transcript, "it has become one of the best weekly papers in Texas, and Mr. Smith's editorials, indited with his toes, or with the pen held in his teeth, or printed on the typewriter with a stick held in a similar manner, are widely quoted for their terse, epigrammatic style, their rich humor, and their apt presentation of his views on subjects of current interest."

The gates of the English language, or in other words, the dictionaries, should be open for the admission of the word "bust." "Bust" is a first rate sturdy, vigorous word full and firm with a meaning of its own. "Bust" has ceased to be slang for burst. Their meanings are distinctively different. To illustrate, The "syndicate busted," has a foolish sound but "The syndicated bust" is beyond criticism. Sixteen to one or bust" is good but "Sixteen to one or bust" is execrable. On the contrary "The sewer pipe busted" is bad and the utility of "bust" as applied to physical objects is instantly vindicated.—Greenville News.

The word is already in the dictionary, and only needs its meaning extended: as to the suggestion, we favor its use; also the admission of the word "cuss."

**Just received 1,200 bushels pure Texas rust proof oats to be sold low down, at, S. M. Askins Lake City, S. C.**

The Columbia Register says that the Internal Revenue Department of the United States has issued over 400 licenses to sell liquor in South Carolina since last July. Of this number only ninety were issued to dispensaries. No wonder we have "blind tigers."

Mr. George M. Pullman, the great sleeping car magnate, died at his home in Chicago on Tuesday morning, 19 instant from heart disease. His fortune is variously estimated from \$30,000,000 to \$50,000,000. He was born March 3rd, 1831, in Chataqua county N. Y. He began life in a county store. He amassed his immense fortune by his own labors of head and hand.

Brush the hair daily through to the scalp, and occasionally apply Hall's Hair Renewer, and a luxuriant head of hair will be maintained of a natural hue.

Best on Record

Mr. Simon Hunt, merchant, Mountain Rest, S. C., says: "I doubled my order for Norman's Neutralizing Cordial in four days. It has given entire satisfaction among my customers and those who use it once are convinced that it is just what it claims to be." If your child is peevish, give it a dose of Normans Indian Worm Pellets, 10 & 25c Sold by Wallace and Johnson.

## LOST! LOST!

The man who dies without leaving a Benefit Certificate in the

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Those who contemplate insuring will serve their best interests by investigating the contracts of this company.

Jno. A. Wagener, Jr., Deputy,  
Kingstree, S. C.  
Live Deputies Wanted.

## Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

costs more than other medicines. But then it cures more than other medicines.

Most of the cheap cough medicines merely palliate; they afford local and temporary relief. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral does not patch up or palliate. It cures.

Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Whooping Cough,—and every other cough, will, when other remedies fail, yield to

## Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

It has a record of 50 years of cures. Send for the "Curebook"—free. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

There are several new trades in Paris. You can find dog doctors dog dentists dog barbers and dog dressmakers advertised in the newspapers, and they seem to be well patronized.

**An Old Idea.** Every day strengthens the belief of eminent physicians that impure blood is the cause of the majority of our diseases. Twenty-five years ago this theory was used as a basis for the formula of Brown's Iron Bitters. The many remarkable cures effected by this famous old household remedy are sufficient to prove that the theory is correct. Brown's Iron Bitters is sold by all dealers.

### How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

### WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passager. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggist price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention The County Record and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bing hamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

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AT

## Brockinton's

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## Great Bargains

In every department. Just glance down this column and see the great values we are offering in

- CLOTHING,
- SEWING MACHINES,
- BUREAUS,
- BEDSTEADS,
- CHAIRS,
- SAFES,
- BRIDLES,
- COLLARS,
- Harness,
- TINWARE,
- HARDWARE
- SHOES
- HATS,
- DRY-GOODS,
- &C., &C.

Coffee, 10c lb; best, 20c.  
Sewing Machines, \$3, \$5 up to \$25.  
Flour, \$3.75, \$4.25, \$5 and \$6.25;  
Hams, No. 1, 12c lb; Salmon, 10c;  
Cove Oysters, 10c; Condensed Milk Magnolia brand, 10c; Lye, 5 and 8;  
Tobacco, 15c up; Starch, 5c lb; Extra Spiced Pickles, 10c.  
Bureaus, \$3.90 to \$5.50.  
Bedsteads, \$1.35 to \$5.50.  
Chairs, 40c to 60c.  
Safes, \$2.35 to \$4.00  
Bridles, 45c to 60c.  
Collars 85c to \$1.15.  
Harness, \$5.50 to \$10.00, one set double, \$22.00.  
Tin ware, Crockery and Buckets, 2 and 3 brass hoops, 25c to 30c.  
Grass Blades, 90c.  
Stoves, \$7.00 to \$9.75.  
Prices in hardware too numerous to mention.  
Shoes, 50c 75c 90c \$1.00 \$1.25 \$1.50 \$2.00 and \$3.00.  
Hats, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 40c, 75c \$1. to \$3.  
Caps, 15c to 50c.  
Thread, 2 spools for 5c.  
Black Hawk Corn Shellers, \$2.  
Dry-Goods in proportion to the above prices.

L J Brockinton, Ex., Est. of  
S P Brockinton.

## Clerk's Sales.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG, IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

By virtue of a decree under order of the court to me directed, in the following stated case, I will sell at the court house in Kingstree S. C. on the first Monday in November next, within the legal hours for making public sales, the following described real property, to wit: All that certain tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in Williamsburg county, State of South Carolina, containing forty-two (42) acres, more or less, and bounded north by C K Cockfield's land and D W Cribb's land, east by land of W C Hemingway & Co., south, by land of Richard Davis and west by land of W B Haselden and the stage road. To be sold at suit of L M Belin, plaintiff, vs. J O Cockfield, defendant, under foreclosure of mortgage.

Terms of sale cash. W W GRAYSON, C. P. & Referee.

Oct. 9th 1897.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF WILLIAMSBURG, IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

By virtue of a decree under order of the court to me directed in the following stated case, I will sell at the court house in Kingstree South Carolina on the first Monday in November next within the legal hours for making public sales the following described real property to wit: All that piece, part or parcel of land lying being and situate in the county of Williamsburg and State of South Carolina containing two hundred and fifty (250) acres more or less and bounded north by lands of the est. of J L Gourdin, east by lands of W T Altman, south by lands of Sarah E Gourdin and west by lands of A T Darby. To be sold at the suit of Eliza J Mosson et al. against Mary Cooper et al. Terms of sale, cash.

W W GRAYSON, C. P. & G S & Referee.

Oct. 9th 1897.

**10,000 COW HIDES, WANTED.**

CASH prices paid at your door. Apply to F. M. BRITTON, Sr., Church, S. C.

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Stoves, Tinwares, House Furnishing Goods, Tin Plate, Sheet Iron, Tinnors' Supplies, Galvanized Gutter and Pipe—  
Over 200 Styles Cooking and Heating Stoves ALSO OIL COOKERS AND HEATERS.  
H D REDDICK, Agent for Garland and Michigan Stoves.

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REGULATE THE LIVER  
ALL DRUGGISTS

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All kinds of Country Produce. 94 Market Street, Charleston, S. C.

### NOTICE.

I will be in my office in the Court house, Kingstree, Monday and Saturday of each week. Those having business with the County Superintendent of Education will govern themselves accordingly.

NABOR D. LESENE, County Supt. Ed.

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And all kinds of Fruit and Candies and also keep FRESH

Bread and Rolls Comes three times a week from Charleston.

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Why, No. 12 Wall St. next door to post office at

**E. AUSTON'S, Fruit Store,** KINGSTREE, S. C. 3 m.

### Notice.

I will be in my office in the court house in Kingstree S. C. on SATURDAY of each week and during my absence, I will leave my office key with Mr. C. W. McClam.

E. M. SMITH, Judge of Probate, Williamsburg Co., C. S.

### Notice for Letters Dismissy.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Probate Judge of Williamsburg county on the 30th day of October next for letters of dismissy as executor of the estate of Herbert B Burgess, deceased. C B BURGESS, Executor.